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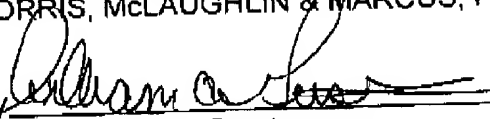
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This Rule 312 Amendment is being filed to add an abstract to the specification.

No new matter is entered.

Favorable action is respectfully solicited.

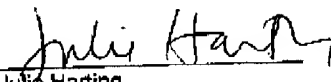
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